

MINISTER FOR CUBA.

Spain Has Decided to Appoint Some One to Post.

Madrid, June 16.—It is announced here that the government has decided to appoint a minister to the Cuban republic.

ORE SHIPMENTS.

Output From the Rossland Mines for a Week.

Rossland, B. C., June 16.—The shipments from the Rossland camp for the past week are: Le Roi, 3,700 tons; Le Roi No. 2, 1,900 tons; Centre Star, 480 tons; Giant, 50 tons; total for week, 6,200, and for the year, 150,164 tons.

KILLED BY TRAIN.

Little Boy in Winnipeg Crushed to Death.

Winnipeg, Man., June 16.—(Special.)—Donald Eddy, aged 13, died in the General hospital at 3 o'clock this morning as the result of injuries received from falling under a C. P. R. freight train near the Louise bridge yesterday. He was stealing a ride.

QUEEN OF HOLLAND.

She Is Recovering Her Health in Germany.

Berlin, June 16.—Queen Wilhelmina, of Holland, is convalescing at Castle Schaumburg, in the valley of the Lahn. She drives out daily with her mother, and is recovering her color. The young Queen smilingly acknowledges the greetings of the wayfarers whom she passes.

BAD FOR MORMONS.

Kentucky Mob Shoots Into Religious Meeting.

Padenburg, Ky., June 16.—The people of the Davis chapel section of Marshallton, Ky., were thrown into great excitement by a fusillade of bullets being fired into a Mormon meeting by some of the opposers in the neighborhood. Hardly a Mormon was shot in the leg. The Mormon converts, 15 or 16 returned to fire and more bloodshed is feared.

LABRADOR SMALPOX.

Anxiety to Have Dominion to Quarantine District.

St. John's, Nfld., June 16.—The outbreak of smallpox in Labrador is growing more serious. The fisher folks on the Northern Coast of Newfoundland are appealing to the Colonial government to urge the Canadian minister to prohibit intercourse between the infected locality and the remainder of the seaboard, where the ravages of smallpox could be very severe, did the disease once spread to it.

THE KING SLIGHTLY ILL.

Suffered at Aldershot With Attack of Lumbago.

London, June 16.—King Edward, who was attacked yesterday with lumbago, following a chill, contracted on Saturday night, passed a good night and is much better. Rain is falling, however, so he did not risk attending the grand review today at Aldershot.

Aldershot, June 16.—The indisposition of King Edward and the incessant downpour of rain at Aldershot are effectually spoiling the grand review of troops here today. The King did not leave the royal pavilion and was represented by the Prince of Wales, who rode to the saluting point accompanied by the Duke of Connaught and a brilliant staff, comprising several Indian princes, the military attaches, Lord Roberts, the commander-in-chief, and the headquarters staff. Queen Alexandra drove to the parade grounds in a carriage with the Prince of Wales and the Princess Victoria. In other carriages at the saluting point were the Duchess of Connaught and many of the nobility who are now visiting England. Over 32,000 rain-soaked troops marched past the heir to the throne.

During the march past, which was headed by the military band, led by Lord Roberts, the massed bands played the National Anthem, and the sun made a final attempt to assert itself, which helped to enliven the magnificent but nevertheless drenched multitude. Queen Alexandra performed the picturesque ceremony of presenting colors to the Highland Light Infantry. In spite of the rain troops went through the usual evolutions previous to the march past. King Edward and Queen Alexandra started for Windsor at 4:15 o'clock this afternoon in a motor car. The King showed little trace of his recent illness. Windsor, June 16.—King Edward arrived here at 6 p.m. from Aldershot.

DEWEY'S ADVICE.

Advices the Boers to Be Good British Subjects.

London, June 16.—Despatches received here from South Africa show that the surrenders of Boers are proceeding with the greatest good will. The total of those who have already surrendered numbers 16,500, and the British are extending every possible kindness to the men who come in. The appearance of General De Wet at the camp at Windburg was the signal for a great display of enthusiasm. When he arrived at camp General De Wet was at once surrounded by thousands of Boer men, women and children, who struggled and clamored to shake the hand of their hero. He warmly applauded the staunch support that women had given the burghers during the war, which he said had greatly encouraged the men in the field. Continuing, he recommended his hearers to be loyal to the new government.

"Perhaps it is hard for you to hear this from my mouth, but God has decided this. I fought until there was no more hope of upholding our cause, and however it may be, the time has now come to lay down our arms. As Christians, God now demands that we be faithful to our new government. Let us submit to His decision, and let us never again take up arms."

Neither General Dewet nor General Frey, former president of the Orange Free State, was ever wounded during the war. General Dewet has not seen his wife for two years. The concentration camps will be converted into supply depots, to provide the returning burghers with the means to reclaim and restock their farms. The wives and families of the Boers who are desired, but maintained at the expense of the government while the burghers are preparing the farms for their reception. Two thousand of the national scouts who fought on the British side during the war were immediately disbanded and each scout will be provided with a pony and enabled to return to his farm.

Volcanoes and Their Origin

Interesting Lecture at the Natural History Society Meeting Last Evening.

Mr. Denison Shows Views of Volcanoes and Explains Many Theories.

At the regular meeting of the Natural History society last evening, Mr. Napier Denison, of the Meteorological office, gave a most interesting talk on volcanoes, there being a large number of members present to hear a discussion of this live topic. Mr. Denison exhibited a chart showing the active volcanoes and how they lie throughout the world, the most active districts running north and south, one extending from the East Indies north to Japan and across the Behring sea to Alaska. There was also displayed a diagram of the Martinique disaster and a description was given of this awful eruption. This was followed by views of other volcanic eruptions, notably that of Vesuvius and extinct craters in the vicinity, which Mr. Denison has visited, and which are at present of great scientific value. The lecturer also went into the great Krakatau explosion of 1883, in which half the island was blown up, causing a great tidal wave, which resulted in the death of 36,000 people.

The various theories as to the origin of these volcanic eruptions were dwelt upon and explained. One of the theories is that the earth is going through a cooling process, there being a crust under which there is a molten mass. The great pressure of this molten mass, as recent investigation showed that the centre of the earth is twice as dense as the finest steel. Attention was drawn to the fact that the volcanic eruptions were the exception of the rule, and the theory was that volcanic action was due to water reaching the molten mass under the crust of the earth and causing a great pressure of steam. The great question is as to how the water reaches the molten mass. One theory often noted is that fissures are formed at the bottom of the sea, and the water finds its way through these to the molten mass. A more recent theory is that the rocks being porous, carry with them a great quantity of water as they are submerged, and as the action goes on they extend to the surface of the earth. The lecturer pointed out that the world has proved that no seismic disturbance occurs at a greater depth than 34 miles beneath the crust and often not more than 8 or 10 miles. More light has been thrown on the subject by the discovery of the lavas from volcanoes and many of these have been found to contain a quantity of water.

Two views shown were photographs of casts taken at Pompeii, one of a man and the other of a dog. The manner in which these casts are taken is that the plaster of Paris is poured into the hole through the ashes, and the plaster of Paris, as in the case of the man and the dog shown last evening, perfect casts are made of what was buried in the ashes at the time Pompeii was destroyed. From the positions of the bodies, as shown by the casts, scientists arrive at the conclusion that the victims died from inhaling gases, the dog, for instance, being shown to have died in great agony. The photographs, which Mr. Denison exhibited in Italy, are splendid ones, even the collar on the dog's neck coming out plainly.

Last evening Mr. Fleming assisted Mr. Denison by operating the slides. Votes of thanks were tendered to each of them. Several new members were elected last evening.

THE OAL.

Rival Crews of R. P. Rihet & Co. and the B. A. Paint Co. to Race.

There will be an exciting aquatic event on Friday evening at 6:20 p.m., when two teams from the R. P. Rihet & Co. and the British American Paint Co. will row a race from Deadman's Island to the James Bay boat house. The rival crews are made up as follows: R. P. Rihet & Co.—H. G. Freigebell, J. Rihet, A. B. J. Lawson, No. 2; and J. Wolfenden, bow. The four of the British American Paint Co. are: Phil Austin, stroke; J. Finlayson, No. 3; A. George, No. 2; and G. Macdonald, bow. Much interest is being taken in the coming race.

SPORTING NOTES.

The final heat in the J. R. A. A. club football, in which the club skill race, could not be moved last evening, will be played on Saturday. They will be rowed this evening.

TWO MILE TUNNEL.

Double Tube to Be Bored Under the St. Lawrence.

Montreal, June 16.—C. W. Monson, of Boston, chief engineer of the Montreal Tunnel, advised the directors of the company that he will begin boring in a few days. The proposed tunnel will be nearly two miles long, a double tube each measuring 27 feet by 21 feet, and the cost is placed at about three million dollars.

CORN DUTY.

Chancellor of the Exchequer Will Consider a Reduction.

London, June 16.—In the course of the debate in the House of Commons today, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, announced that he intended to consider a reduction in the duty on corn. He said he believed that the extra two pence per hundredweight would not increase the price of corn, and even if it did so the effect would not be so terrible as predicted by the Irish members. Thomas W. Russell, Canadian, advanced the curious plea in support of the amendment of tax that maize was not only used as food for stock in Ireland, but as human food by the poor.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer agreed to reduce the duty on all feed-stuffs to 15 pence, and said he would also consider a reduction in the duty on maize.

Don't think that eruption of yours can't be cured. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla—its virtue is its power to cure.

COAL FAMINE.

Anthracite Hard to Get in Toronto Just Now.

Toronto, June 16.—(Special.)—An anthracite coal famine is imminent here owing to the strike. Prices next winter will probably be very high. Agents of the Toronto Street railway are in Kingston and Montreal attempting to secure more for the Toronto lines in case of a strike.

Prof. Halliday Douglas, of Knox college, is dead in Scotland, where he had gone for medical treatment.

DECORATED BY FRANCE.

Danish Officials Receive Recognition For Assistance at Martinique.

St. Thomas, June 16.—The French minister at Copenhagen, M. Guesner has sent a cablegram to the French consul here advising him that President Loubet has conferred the decoration of Commander of the Legion of Honor upon Governor Dehoumann, of the Danish West Indies, and the decoration of officer of the same order upon General Holm of the Danish cruiser Alkryrien, for their services to the sufferers of the Island of Martinique.

EDITOR ARRESTED.

Charged With Stealing Lists of a Rival.

Winnipeg, June 16.—Rudolph Boege, the German editor of Regina, who is charged with stealing subscription lists from the office of Winnipeg's German newspaper, Der Nordwesten, with a view of establishing a rival paper here, was arraigned in the police court today, but remained. On Boege's person when searched was found a draft agreement between himself and a Mr. Robert Rogers, in which the latter agreed to advance \$5,000 if Boege would move his newspaper to Winnipeg and publish a paper here.

CIVIC PATRIOTISM.

Montreal Mayor and Aldermen Quickly Solve a Difficulty.

Montreal, June 16.—Montreal invited nine or ten regiments from outside points to visit Montreal for Coronation Day. The Dominion government has granted \$15,000 for transportation. It was then found that the city charter did not allow the city to appropriate money for the entertainment of visitors. The difficulty has been got over by Mayor Cochrane, Ald. Laporte, Sadler and Cochrane each subscribing a thousand dollars. They then asked the city council to authorize the city to raise the money by a special tax on the Quebec legislature to reimburse them.

A BIG PULP MILL.

But Material to Run It to Go From Canada.

Plattsburg, N. Y., June 16.—J. D. Powers, of Schenectady, N. Y., has purchased the big pulp mill of the Fredrick Pulp Co. located about four miles above this place on the Saranac river, together with valuable water power privileges. The mill is now being dismantled and the material is being shipped to this city and also a piece of land on the lake shore just outside of this city, on which he will at once erect an immense sulphite pulp mill, and a paper mill with a capacity of 100,000 tons per day. It will be a million dollar plant when completed. The pulp wood used in the mills will come largely from Canada.

CORONATION CONTINGENT.

Canadians Will Reach London By This Evening.

Toronto, June 16.—The Evening Telegram's London cable says that the Allan Line Canadian contingent, arrived at Liverpool this morning, and will be met by the ship, where the men will land and proceed by special train to where quarters have been prepared for them at Alexandra Palace.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and other Imperial promoters will be banqueted at the National Liberal club on July 14.

The protracted coal strike today resulted in an advance of from 25 to 75 cents per ton, according to grades.

NANAIMO BY-LAWS.

Sunday Observance Being Made a Test Case.

Nanaimo, B. C., June 16.—(Special.)—David Jones, who for many years was a teacher in the public schools of this city, died in Seattle last evening of pneumonia on Saturday. His brother, Thos. Jones, assistant treasurer of the city, had reached Seattle shortly before his death. The body will be brought here for interment and is expected to arrive tomorrow. The parents of deceased live in the city. He was 40 years of age, and unmarried.

The police, acting upon instructions of the Police Commissioners, are making an effort to strictly enforce the by-laws. The Sunday Observance by-law forbids anyone being in a barroom after 11 o'clock on Saturday evening. A test of the by-law was made on Saturday, and convictions obtained. An appeal is being taken against the validity of the by-law by taking a stated case before a Supreme court judge. On Saturday evening the police visited the different hotels and found in them several parties sitting in the barroom. They will proceed against them if the by-law's validity is sustained.

A meeting of the Licensing Board for South Nanaimo, which was held at Ladysmith today, the applications for wholesale licenses for Ladysmith were all refused.

INVITED WEST.

Presbyterian General Assembly May Meet at Vancouver.

Toronto, June 16.—(Special.)—In the General Assembly today, the debate was interrupted to allow the question of the next meeting to be brought up. Rev. R. G. Macdonald invited the assembly to meet in Vancouver at St. Andrew's church. He urged Easterners to come West and see the young giant which was being nurtured. He added figures as to the rapid expenditure. The matter was debated at some length, but no arrangements not being regarded as definite. It was finally decided to defer decision for a day to permit of further inquiry as to this point.

Following are the names of the committee for the three positions created by the General Assembly to cover work done by the late Rev. Dr. Robertson. The assembly will consider the nominations in the morning, but approval may be taken for granted.

Per laud secretary of Rev. Dr. E. D. McFarlan, of Vancouver, to live in Toronto.

For superintendent of Home missions in work in Manitoba and the Northwest, to live in Winnipeg.

Rev. J. A. Carmichael, Knox church, Regina, who was the unanimous nominee for the position of synod of Manitoba.

For superintendent of Home Missions in British Columbia, Rev. Dr. G. C. McQueen, of Edmonton, had been prominently mentioned for this position, but he is building a large church in Edmonton, and stated he could not leave the pastorate. He nominated Dr. Herdman for the position.

GOOD HEALTH FOR CAPITAL.

Maintaining good health is to the majority of people the most vital question in the world and nature affords no more efficient strengthener for the system and restorer for the nerves than Dr. Chase's Nerve and Brain Tonic. It is a natural, healthy, and powerful tonic, and it creates new, healthy nerve cells and puts life into the system, snuffing out and vitality that defies disease.

Meeting of City Council

Sunday Band Concerts, Side-walks and Street Sprinkling Receive Attention.

Plebsite to Be Taken on the Choice of a Library Site.

The City Council met last evening, Mayor Hayward presiding, and all the aldermen being present, together with the city engineer and the city solicitor.

The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. Communications were then read and disposed of as follows: From Mr. Justice Martin, asking for a conference with the Mayor and Council, when he and several others could discuss with them the question of the water supply in the higher levels, on its appearing that the Yates street pump was now working regularly, and that no other details of complaint were stated. From Mr. J. C. Clark, of the Electric Railway Commission, asking for a conference with the Mayor and Council, when he and several others could discuss with them the question of the water supply in the higher levels, on its appearing that the Yates street pump was now working regularly, and that no other details of complaint were stated.

From the same member of the Legislature, enclosing some of the railway bill, enclosing the bill amending the Municipal Clauses Act, and showing the progress made therein. Filed, the writer to be thanked.

From Frank I. Clark, of the Tourists' association, enclosing some correspondence which had been carried on between the city and the association, with a view to securing the sprinkling of the streets. Laid on the table.

From Frank Eoffing, superintendent of the city schools notifying the council that the School Board had voted \$25 as a grant to Mr. T. C. Clark, who was teaching the children swimming at the public baths, if the city would supplement it by a similar grant. Referred with a favorable recommendation.

From A. Stewart, A. M. Jones, Alex. Tuden, A. B. Fraser, et al., and H. Pith, the special committee of the Voters' League, enclosing the questions already published in the Daily Colonist over Secretary A. J. Morley's name, and asking that the answers be published in the city newspapers. The communication was objected to as being unsigned by anybody, all the names thereon being typewritten, and as ex-Ald. Stewart had been out of town, he could not sign the communication. Some other of the signatories were also said to have refused to sign the letter.

A motion of Ald. Grahame was to the effect that it should not be considered until properly signed, when it could be again brought before the council. In amendment Ald. McCandless moved that it be treated as in order and referred to the City Council. The amendment was carried.

From J. W. Laing, head master of the Collegiate school, asking permission for his boys to water and cut the grass on the grounds of the Burns monument on Beacon Hill. Referred to the Park committee.

From the Mayor of Vancouver, inviting the Mayor and Council to visit that city on Dominion Day. Accepted with thanks.

From A. G. McGregor, enclosing a check for \$100, the amount bequeathed by his late father to the Old Man's Club in this city. Filed, writer to be thanked.

From Horace J. Knott, secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, regarding the petition of the tobaccoists, and asking that the case be referred to the City Council. The communication was objected to as being similarly treated.

The city solicitor's report being to the effect that the council had no power to interfere, as asked by the petition, the communication was filed, the writer to be thanked.

From Ernest Etheridge, complaining of the poundkeeper in impounding his mare, which had strayed into town, just as he was about to catch her, and take her back, the mare having broken away from a tether away out of town. Referred to his Worship to adjust.

From Frank J. Sehl, asking for some slight improvements on Quadra. Referred.

From Chas. Kent, city treasurer, asking for a week's holiday, and that arrangements for the signing of the city checks by D. C. Smith be made. Carried.

By the city solicitor, advising that the claims for damages made by Mrs. Ellen West and Mrs. Ritchie be disputed. Filed.

James Pottinger complaining of a poor water supply on Michigan street between Montreal and St. Lawrence, and asking for a larger main. Referred.

By the City Clerk, reporting that he had referred several letters to the City Engineer, as follows:

From J. C. Smith, asking for a sidewalk on Simon street in front of lots 13, 14 and 15.

From Thos. Mitchell and others, complaining of an open drain on John street between Government street and Rock Bay avenue.

By Water Commissioner Jas. L. Raymer, reporting in favor of accepting Wm. Wilson's offer to lease some land of his Lake Street for \$150 per month, the rent to be taken in part payment of the purchase of the land. Adopted.

By the city engineer, reporting in favor of a plank walk on Elford street as asked for by Mrs. G. Moss at a total cost of \$24, the parties interested to pay \$20, the lower part of Yates street complained of by J. A. Painter to be attended to forthwith, and that \$51 would be the cost of a piece of sidewalk asked for by B. W. Smith for the north side of the street. The first item was adopted, the latter one being referred.

By the Finance committee, presenting bills for payment amounting to \$3,011. Given the usual course, as was also a set of \$1,000 for Coronation Day purposes.

By the Park committee regarding the park concerts for this summer, enclosing the tenders of the two bands, and recommending that the Fifth Regiment band be employed, its tender being the lowest. The tenders were as follows: City Band of 20 men, \$50 a concert; two hours each. Fifth Regiment band of 24 men, five concerts for \$250, 12 concerts (Sunday afternoons) for \$500, or 14 half on Sunday and half on weekdays for \$500 also. Aldermen Yates and Cameron thought that there must have been some mistake, as both bands were said to have agreed to play at the same rates. With several others they thought that the bands should divide this work. In support of the report, Ald. Cameron advised that they were simply accepting the lowest tender, which band having been asked to state what they could offer for \$250 and \$500 respectively. Besides this he thought that the council should not be asked to pay for a band which had been given a great deal of gratuitous music for the citizens. Ladysmith Day and the Peace celebration had seen them out, and that for nothing, while for the Jubilee they had paid \$1,000 for the Westminster fire and other charities they had given free concerts. Since 1895 this band had given free concerts to the value of \$3,000 to the city. Despite all this, however, the council agreed to accept the lowest tender.

By Ald. Grahame, Worthington and Vincent, the special committee appointed to interview the government regarding the moving back of the sidewalk on Bastion street in front of the Court House, reporting that the provincial government

Hood's Pills

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BORN.

COLBERT—At 60 Princess avenue, on June 16th, the wife of Richard Colbert, of a son.

MARRIED.

CALVERT—PREVOST—On June 7th, at St. Peter's church, Quamichan, by the Rev. A. L. Lourey, P. Parkinson Calvert, youngest son of the late William Calvert, of G. Edna Prevost, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Prevost, of "The Barn," Duncan, B. C.

DIED.

NELSON—At the Jubilee hospital, on June 15th, John Nelson, aged 65 years, a native of Sweden, who was suffering from cancer of the stomach.

HULL-BROWN—On the 12th inst., at Shawanigan Lake, Percy Hull-Brown, aged 62.

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Coronation Chorus

As suitable choral selections will be a prominent feature in connection with the coronation at the Government Buildings, on "Coronation Day," all ladies and gentlemen who are accustomed to take part in choral societies are asked to attend a meeting in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday next, June 17, at 8:30 p. m., for the purpose of considering matters in relation to the rendition of such choruses.

CHAS. HAYWARD, Mayor.

Victoria, B. C., June 16th, 1902.

Institute Hall.

Wednesday, June 18th, at 8:15 p.m.

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—OR—

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A musical comedy under the direction of Miss Marack.

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had consented to its going back some ten feet if the city would stand the cost of the new pavement, which should be laid back to the building itself. Referred to the Streets committee.

MOTIONS.

On motion of Ald. Grahame, it was decided that Ald. Kinsman, Worthington, Grahame and Yates constitute the Court of Appeal for the city's assessment, and that they be authorized the laying of a concrete sidewalk on the north side of Port from Wharf to Langley street was also carried.

On motion of Ald. Cameron, it was decided that a special committee, consisting of Ald. Grahame, Yates, and the mover consider and report on the question of street sprinkling.

It was then moved by Ald. McCandless, seconded by Ald. Williams, and carried:

That whereas it is desirable in the event of the ratenayers by their vote deciding to erect a library in this city, (whether on land now owned by the Corporation, or on land to be purchased for the purpose, that the electors should decide for themselves the site on which such library should be erected.

Therefore, be it resolved, that a plebiscite be taken as to the site on which the library should be erected, in order to ascertain which one the electors prefer, the site receiving the largest number of votes to be the site which shall be selected for the library; and for this purpose the voters shall be allowed to vote upon by-laws contracting debts.

Ald. Barnard then was given leave to introduce his by-law regarding the regulation requiring bicyclists to carry lamps after dark. The by-law was read a first time, the council then adjourning until this evening, when several other by-laws will come up.

TO CLOSE THREE DAYS.

London Stock Exchange Will Have Coronation Holiday.

London, June 16.—The Stock Exchange will be closed June 26, 27 and 28, the occasion of the coronation festivities.

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ARBITRATION.

The New York World about a week
ago published a symposium on the ques-
tion of what Great Britain would have
said by arbitrating the case between
Herself and the Boers. The opinions
of several distinguished Americans are
given, among them those of representa-
tive Charles F. Cochran, of Missouri.
This gentleman's ignorance is so dole-
ful that his remarks are worth repro-
ducing in full. He says:

Some weeks ago it was known that a
part of Mr. Chamberlain's plan for the
government of the Boers was the restric-
tion of the liberties of the Cape Colony
and the withdrawal of the constitu-
tional government there. This would
make the British possessions of South
Africa crown colonies like Ireland and
India. No doubt this will result in a
general uprising of the Cape Dutch and
a civil war which may last a decade.
It will be difficult for England to pre-
vent the Boers from having arms and
ammunition, without which Ireland could
not have been held in subjection. A
license tax on firearms of all kinds, such
as is imposed in Ireland, is an impossi-
bility in the South African countries.
Total disarmament is impossible, and
for this reason the Boers may begin an
uprising at any time. The burgher and
his rifle are inseparable and will remain
so.

I doubt whether it would be wise for
England to give the Dutch in South
Africa such freedom as the people have
in Canada. No Dutch people have ever
been conquered. Philip II. lost his
title in attempting the subjugation of
a like people, and even Marlborough al-
most lost his.

I believe the Boers have gained more
concessions after their years of fighting
than had they left the entire matter to
arbitration. Great Britain would have
organized the court and the Dutch would
have had to submit to whatever terms
the friends of England dictated.

Of all the different kinds of ignorance
we have ever met the ignorance which
would describe either Ireland or India as
a crown colony is the worst. Ireland
is an integral part of the country known
as Great Britain and Ireland, possessing
a larger proportional representation in
the House of Commons, than any other
portion of that country. India is an
Empire containing some parts adminis-
tered directly and others by kings and
princes under a form of suzerainty to the
British Crown. These two portions of
the British Empire are the least like
Crown colonies of any. A man who
talks about a license tax on fire arms as
being necessary to hold Ireland in sub-
jection must have something wrong with
him. He might as well talk about a
license tax on fire-arms being necessary
to hold Edinburgh in subjection, as a
license tax on fire-arms is common to
all the Old Country. Ireland, like every
portion of every nation or Empire co-
heres to the other portions from econo-
mic considerations and mutual self-in-
terest with patriotism thrown in. There
may be less patriotism there than in
some other parts. But of the millions in
Ireland there are not two thousand
men who would raise a finger in
organized rebellion against the Empire
of which they are a part. Yet this kind
of stuff is published in a great New York
newspaper without protest or comment,
and is the expressed opinion of a man
who has gained a representative posi-
tion in the United States. In pleasing
contrast to the remarks of this blatant

ignoramus, is the opinion of Senator W.
A. Clark, who says:
The plans by which arbitration can be
made effective have not been sufficiently
perfected to make it of utility in set-
tling the dispute between the English and
Boers. The system must be improved
before it can be employed in such con-
troversies with a prospect of success. It
has proven futile in the coal strike. The
millennium has not yet arrived.
It sometimes happens that only by the
most terrible flagellations can nations
and men be brought to adjust their dif-
ference, as has just been done by the
British and Boers. There is often no
other way of settlement except by a
bloody and expensive war.
When two men leave their disputes to
adjudication by arbitration neither is
satisfied thereafter with the result. If
both fight it out in the most bloody and
vindictive way they often afterward be-
come the best of friends. This may be
true of Great Britain and the South
African republics.
Senator Clark speaks from personal ex-
perience, and we wonder whether what
he says would have been true of himself
and Marcus Daly had the latter lived
long enough.

THE CANADA ATLANTIC.

Authentic details of any arrangement
have not yet been divulged, but it ap-
pears to be generally accepted in East-
ern Canada that the Canada Atlantic
railway has passed, or is about to pass,
into the hands of the Canadian Northern
railway company. It will be remembered
that for some time Mr. Seward Webb
held an option over this road, which was
not taken up after the ruinous smash
of the Webb-Meyer syndicate gave that
gentleman all he could do to finance
himself. Then Messrs. Mackenzie &
Mann examined the road, and, although
nothing is known yet, it is supposed that
they have acquired the road as the East-
ern section of their railway system. This
would form a, sooner or later, in dispen-
sible link to enable them to join their
system West of the Great Lakes with
the Atlantic seaboard, both on the
American and Canadian sides of the
line, without being dependent upon the
services of another railway system. The
terminus of the Canadian Northern hav-
ing been removed from West of the
Lakes, to the Eastern terminus of the
Canada Atlantic railway, the process of
extension would hardly be likely to stop
until the system was completed from
seaboard to seaboard. It is alleged that
a further arrangement has been made
whereby the Dominion government has
agreed to guarantee an issue of bond
sufficient to double track the road, in re-
turn for which, the Intercolonial rail-
way is to procure certain running pow-
ers over it, and thus extend the Inter-
colonial system to Parry Sound. But
in the information we have so far, what
this arrangement is left even more
vague than the details of the transfer
to the Canadian Northern. The fact of
the Dominion government's proposing to
give assistance to a road already built
and in operation is arousing some criti-
cism in the Eastern press.

ARMY REFORM.

Is Lord Kitchener to be allowed a
free hand to reform the British army,
or is the system which would never have
allowed him to emerge from obscurity
to be strong enough to suppress him?
That is a question which is agitating a
number of minds in Great Britain at the
present time. Kitchener is a man who
does nothing by halves. After his work
in South Africa has been accomplished,
he will either have nothing at all to do
with the management of the British
army or he will have so much to do with
it that there will be a root and branch
reform from top to bottom. For the
sake of efficiency it is to be hoped he
will not be shelved, until he is needed
again to preserve the Empire with a de-
fective army and imperfect organization
at his command. But there are some
abuses more deeply prized by those who
profit by them, than the efficiency in
time of war which they prevent. We
imagine that Lord Kitchener would rathe-
r conquer the Sudan and the Transvaal
than face the campaign he has in
front of him if he would effectively re-
form, remodel, and reorganize the British
army.

It may be well to impress upon the
visiting pressmen from Utah that Victo-
ria really has a street lighting system,
which although last night was not in
evidence for a similar demonstration never-
theless has an actual existence.

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Press Association of Utah arrived in
Victoria yesterday afternoon, on a tour
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many of them the Victoria streets were
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their expressions, the idea of being in
to them, a foreign country and amid
unfamiliar institutions, gave an added
zest to the pleasure of their junketing.
We hope our visitors will carry away a
favorable opinion of Victoria and its
surroundings, and not forget to put it
forward that no tourist through the
Pacific Northwest should overlook Vic-
toria as his chief point of interest and
attraction.

The following from a Rossland paper
appears to prove that the refined air of
the mining town is at least conducive
to the mental growth of the sage philo-
sopher:

R. T. Lowery, of "Lowery's Claim"
fame, who has a record of having fathered
21 newspapers and wept at the
funeral of 17 of them, reflects as fol-
lows: "Running a newspaper is a gor-
geous business. Fight the battles of the
down-trodden workmen and half of them
will reward you by blowing a dollar in
a saloon in order to read your news-
paper for nothing. Fight the bat-
tles of a country in showing up its
corrupt in order that the merchants and
others can live in it and a few generous
souls will stay by your sheet until the
sheriff turns the key, while the majority
will shove you ice when you ask for an
ad, but the dollar to their selfish souls
and imagine that they are awfully clever."

It is reported in an Eastern paper that
the Steel Trust has offered the Canadian
Pacific Railway company a very large
sum for the deposits of hematite iron ore
it owns at Kitchener in East Kootenay.
This proves, if it is true, two things, one
that the Steel Trust is already looking
forward to the time when the most avail-
able raw material for the industry it
controls will be mined in Canada; the
other that the Steel Trust is strong
enough to gobble up every showing of
iron ore in Canada as soon as discov-
ered and proved, and before our iron
has become the basis of a flourishing
home industry. This incident emphasises
the need of governmental interference
and protection if we are ever to have
an iron and steel industry in this coun-
try, particularly in the West.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

INFANTS IN POLITICS.
Sir,—I am sorry to see that you have
thrown your influence in support of the
latest piece of freak legislation, which is
intended to confer the franchise on infants.
The strongest argument those in favor of
the innovation can urge, is that because
boys of 18 pay taxes and pay taxes in a
military service, they should be permitted to
vote. There are many things that infants
in law cannot do, which men of 21 and
upwards can, or are obliged to do. A boy
of 18 cannot enter into a contract, can-
not acquire property, cannot sue and
convey property; he cannot begin an action
except by his next friend. But there is
one thing that he can do, which the adult
cannot do, and that is, he can enter into
the army and escape the payment of an
honest debt.

I submit that if it is intended to give
loads of 18 votes there should be conferred
upon them all the privileges and liabilities
that full-grown men now enjoy or labor
under. If they accept a military training
in one respect, why should they not
take all? I feel certain that the second
thought of the Legislature will
come to its rescue and that the clause will
be knocked out before the Houses rise.

FULL AGE.

PRESS COMMENTS.
It will be hard in some quarters to
arouse any sympathy for Lynch. There are
a number of people of various nationalities
in various parts of the world who do not
admire disloyalty and treason, and who do
not enshrine under a display of bumptious
sanctity. The British government owes no
forbearance to blatherskites of the Lynch
type, who do not hesitate to take up arms
against their own flag. The war is over
and the Cape Colony rebels got off lightly.
But Lynch is not even in their category.
No sympathy ought to be wasted on him if
he feels a knot tightening under his left
ear.—Tacoma News.

A request has reached this office not to
"send the Citizen any more to be
passed away on Sunday and was the
only reader in the house." The request
will be complied with, as the writer failed
to state his destination.—Ottawa Citizen.

The decision of the Deering company, of
Calgary, to establish a Canadian factory in
this city, is another object lesson in pro-
tection. This is one of the direct fruits
of the grand old N. P.—Hamilton Specta-
tor.

The Canadian teachers have arrived in
Africa at a fortunate time, as the resti-
tution of peace will enable them to enter
at once upon their work as teachers of
willing fellow-subjects. It will, however,
materially alter their professional duties
in another way. They were, when they
sailed, expected to teach the children in
the large concentration camps. These
camps will be now broken up and the
women and children gradually returned to
their homes.—Charlottetown Guardian.

England has discovered another Indus-
trial invasion, this time from France. It
seems that French iron pipes are being
manufactured in large quantities in
Lyons and shipped to London, and a factory
concocted in rural France is furnishing the

British market with gloves "warranted
strictly English." "Yorkshire hams" are
sent into the British Isles from Antioch, and
"Heinz" brand pickles are largely of French
make.—N. Y. Press.

According to the New York Herald the
proposal to abolish the British dues on
breadstuffs, so far as colonial produce is
concerned, is a "slender prospect." This may
mean that the Great American journal con-
siders the project as evil, dishonest, or
merely inauspicious. Whatever may be the
correct interpretation of its remark it ap-
plies with at least equal and perhaps a
trifle greater force against the United
States which is according to Cuba a pre-
ference in its market.—Toronto Mail.

There appears to be no waning of activity
in the iron and steel trades, and the
prospects are that the high pressure will
continue as long as the iron and steel in-
dustry is in a position to produce at any rate.
It is estimated that 24,000,000 tons of iron
ore will be mined in the United States
this year, and that nearly all the produc-
ing iron and steel concerns in the country
could in the next twelve months sell thirty
per cent more iron and steel than they can
produce in that time. It is stated that all
the pig iron in sight in the United States
has been bought up ahead, and that the
United States Steel corporation is negotiat-
ing for the purchase of 100,000 tons of
Bessemer pig iron to be delivered during
the second quarter of 1903.—Toronto
World.

PROVINCIAL PRESS.

AMATEUR ASTRONOMER.

From Revelstoke Mail.
It is not generally known that Revel-
stoke has in its midst an expert astronomer
and an observatory. On Third street
corner of the old building belonging
to R. H. Copeland, who is a machinist at
the C. P. R. shops, Mr. Copeland is a son
of the astronomer-royal of Scotland, and
has inherited a taste for one of the great-
est of the sciences, having, as a boy, work-
ed and played in his father's observatory
at Edinburgh—one of the first observato-
ries of the world.

FERNIE RELIEF FUND.

From Fernie Free Press.
The substantial completion of the coal
company to the relief fund, \$10,000, fol-
lowed by a very handsome donation of \$3,000
from the Western Federation of Miners,
brings it up to the sum of \$25,000, but it
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THE WEATHER.
 Meteorological office, Victoria, June 16-8 p. m.
SYNOPSIS.
 The pressure continues high on the Washington coast, and a pronounced low barometer area extends from California northward to Utah and Montana. Rain has fallen on the Lower Mainland and in Oregon and Washington, and the weather west of the Rockies has been lower. In the Northwest Territories the rainfall has been very general and the weather has been mostly cloudy and cool.
TEMPERATURE. Min. Max.
 Victoria 49 63
 New Westminster 46 58
 Kamloops 48 64
 Kelowna 48 64
 Calgary 40 44
 Winnipeg 42 72
 Portland, Ore. 42 62
 San Francisco 48 64

FORECASTS.
 For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time) Tuesday:
 Victoria and vicinity: Moderate or fresh, chiefly southerly and westerly, partly cloudy and cool.
 Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, chiefly calm and cool with occasional showers.
VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.
 Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.
 Deg. Deg.
 5 p. m. 50 Mean 50
 5 p. m. 50 Highest 61
 5 p. m. 50 Lowest 49
 The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
 5 a. m. 12 miles southwest.
 5 p. m. 12 miles southwest.
 5 p. m. 12 miles southwest.
 Average state of weather—Fair.
 Sunshine—8 hours, 54 minutes.
 Barometer at noon—Observed, 30.130
 Corrected, 30.114
NEW WESTMINSTER.
 Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected, 30.114

MONDAY, JUNE 16.
 Deg. Deg.
 5 a. m. 50 Mean 50
 5 p. m. 50 Highest 61
 5 p. m. 50 Lowest 49
 The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
 5 a. m. 10 miles west.
 5 p. m. 16 miles southwest.
 5 p. m. 16 miles southwest.
 Average state of weather—Cloudy.
 Sunshine—4 hours, 36 minutes.
 Barometer at noon—Observed, 30.071
 Corrected, 30.061
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VICTORIA TIDES.
 For the Month of June, 1902.
 (Issued by the survey branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)
 The time used is Pacific standard for the meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours from midnight to midnight. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot.

Date.	Time.	Height.	Date.	Time.	Height.
1 S.	0.03 4.0	11.61	5 T.	1.16 4.6	12.43
2 M.	0.29 3.3	12.32	6 F.	1.42 4.8	13.26
3 W.	0.50 2.6	13.15	7 S.	2.09 4.0	14.10
4 T.	1.07 1.9	14.03	8 S.	2.32 3.3	14.94
5 Th.	1.20 1.1	14.96	9 S.	2.51 2.6	15.78
6 F.	1.32 0.4	15.93	10 S.	3.07 1.9	16.61
7 S.	1.43 0.0	16.92	11 M.	3.20 1.2	17.44
8 S.	1.52 0.0	17.92	12 M.	3.30 0.5	18.26
9 S.	2.00 0.0	18.92	13 W.	3.38 0.0	19.07
10 T.	2.07 0.0	19.92	14 W.	3.44 0.0	19.87
11 W.	2.11 0.0	20.92	15 Th.	3.48 0.0	20.66
12 W.	2.14 0.0	21.92	16 Th.	3.50 0.0	21.44
13 W.	2.16 0.0	22.92	17 F.	3.51 0.0	22.21
14 Th.	2.17 0.0	23.92	18 F.	3.51 0.0	22.97
15 Th.	2.17 0.0	24.92	19 S.	3.50 0.0	23.72
16 F.	2.15 0.0	25.92	20 S.	3.48 0.0	24.46
17 F.	2.12 0.0	26.92	21 S.	3.44 0.0	25.18
18 F.	2.08 0.0	27.92	22 S.	3.39 0.0	25.88
19 S.	2.03 0.0	28.92	23 S.	3.33 0.0	26.56
20 S.	1.97 0.0	29.92	24 S.	3.25 0.0	27.21
21 S.	1.90 0.0	30.92	25 S.	3.16 0.0	27.83
22 S.	1.82 0.0	31.92	26 S.	3.05 0.0	28.41
23 S.	1.73 0.0	32.92	27 S.	2.93 0.0	28.95
24 S.	1.63 0.0	33.92	28 S.	2.80 0.0	29.45
25 S.	1.52 0.0	34.92	29 S.	2.66 0.0	29.91
26 S.	1.40 0.0	35.92	30 S.	2.51 0.0	30.33
27 S.	1.27 0.0	36.92			
28 S.	1.13 0.0	37.92			
29 S.	0.98 0.0	38.92			
30 S.	0.82 0.0	39.92			

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.
 FERRIER WANTED—Either English, Irish or Scotch terrier. Must be thoroughbred and young. Address C. C. Colnolist office. 117
 WANTED—From four to ten acres of good grazing land, city, address S. Johnson, Maywood P. O. 115
 BOAT WANTED TO RENT—For three or four months. A light, seaworthy row boat to carry four. Address "K," Colnolist. 115
 WANTED—500 men and boys to buy reliable boots at Nangle's, 50 Fort street. Prices all right. 127
 WANTED—Photograph of Windsor Castle for purpose of reproduction. Will purchase or borrow, if agreeable. Address "Photo," this office. 111
 TO BUY—Second hand typewriter. Apply in typewriter of machine, stating price. "Typewriter," this office. 113
SUMMER BOARD WANTED.
 Country residents who have accommodation for summer boarders are requested to send particulars to the Tourist Association, No. 34 Fort street, Victoria. 110
TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS.
 TO RENT—Two furnished bedrooms, with breakfast if desired, 306 1/2 Dallas road. 110
 HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Apply at Imperial hotel immediately. Manager. 18
 TO LET—Nicely furnished rooms, 170 Johnson street. 1031
 TO LET—Nicely furnished front room, down stairs, with bedroom, kitchen and bathroom. Hot and cold water; also furnished housekeeping suites at Elmslie House, 104 Pandora St. Apply 97 Quadra street. 102
 TO LET—Beacon Hill—Bedroom with or without breakfast, in private family, or part of house, F. G. Colnolist. 102
TO RENT—RESIDENCES.
 TO LET—Fully furnished house for summer months. Modern conveniences. For particulars apply 53 Vancouver St. 111
 TO LET—Furnished four-roomed cottage. Apply 197 Douglas street. 115
 FOR RENT—Furnished house. Apply 103 Pandora avenue. 116
 TO LET—For the summer months, a fully furnished house. Apply 53 Michigan St. 122
TO RENT—STORES.
 TO LET—Premises now occupied by Dix L. Ross & Co., 117 Government street. Apply L. J. Quaglin, 119 Cornhill street. 116
TO RENT—ROOM AND BOARD.
 WELL FURNISHED ROOMS AND BOARD available at private family, 103 Blanchard avenue. Call and inspect at any time. 116
 WANTED—Responsible motherly lady will take care of a baby. Very best references. Address J. S. M., this office. 110
LAURELDALE—204 Superior street, on car line. Large, spacious, commodious, sunny rooms; excellent board, moderate terms. 110
TO VISITORS. First class rooms and board, best locality, close to car line. Terms moderate. Knowlles House, Head street, Esquimalt road. 113
TO WORKING MEN—New Inn, Esquimalt Road. First class board and rooms by the day, week or month. Close to Bullen's yards, Navy Yard, Barracks. Short orders at any time. Meal tickets. Fred McAdam, Proprietor. 11
PRIVATE BOARD—152 Pandora St. 123
TO RENT—WAREHOUSE.
 TO LET—Warehouse on Wharf street, 25x70. All location and in good condition. Rent \$25. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. 110
TO RENT—FARMS.
 A GOOD FARM at Nicola, and one at Alberni, can be rented on reasonable terms. For particulars apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government street. 110
BUSINESS CHANCES.
 WANTED—Active partner for good paying business. Cash required, \$800. M. C. Colnolist. 115
BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY.—We offer for sale the good will, furniture, fixtures, billiard table, bar fixtures, etc. of a suburban hotel and will lease the premises for a term of years. This is a chance to acquire an old established and very profitable business on easy terms. Immediate possession. For particulars apply to Heisterman & Co. 111
 FOR SALE—As a going concern, country store doing a fairly good business, well equipped, with a good location, very cheap. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street. 110
CLAIRVOYANCY.
 MADAM RAAB—Clairvoyant and Location Medium, holds sittings every Wednesday night. All welcome. No. 23 View street. 111

WANTED—MALE HELP.
 WANTED—ONCE—Good smart dry goods and gents' furnishings man for country store. Apply, stating age, experience, salary required, to A. C. E. Colnolist office. 115
 WANTED—Tinsmith. Permanent job for the right man. Apply P. O. Box 72, Chilliwack. 113
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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On Douglas street, near Pandora, a pocketbook containing a small sum of money. Leave at Colnolist office and receive reward. 117
 LOST—Black cocker puppy, answers to name of Beauty. Return to 31 View street and receive reward. Anyone detaining her will be prosecuted.
 LOST—Between H. M. S. Grafton and Drifted hotel, on Saturday afternoon, a pocketbook containing bills and owner's card, etc. Suitable reward at Drifted hotel office. 117
 LOST—Two-year-old colt, black, with white mark on head, heavy set. Reward for any information that will lead to his recovery. J. John, South Saanich. 117
 FOUND—Reliable boots and shoes cheapest in town, at Nangle's 50 Fort St. 110

PERSONAL.

PUGET SOUND LAW & DETECTIVE AGENCY—Evidence in law cases looked up. Divorces, etc. P. O. Box 838, Seattle, Wash. a6
MISCELLANEOUS.
 MEDIUM—If you are in trouble I will give advice. Call on Mrs. Dr. Mercha's Bayard House, Pandora street, and also write privately. 11
 TO LET—Stable, 74 Kane street. a18

FOR SALE—PROPERTY.

COTTAGE, 2 lots, corner Simcoe and Clarence St., \$1,700; 42 acres, with cottage and other improvements, near Prairie Tavern, \$2,200; 170 acres near Abbotsford, with house, stable, orchard and 30 acres cleared, \$3,800; 24 acres near Mission, with house, stable, orchard, 10 acres timber, balance rich loam, at a bargain. Furnished house to let on Esquimalt road, \$30 a month. Money to loan on real estate security. Apply to J. T. L. Meyer, Room 9 Bank of Commerce Building. 127
 FOR SALE—Lots on Linden avenue off Cadboro Bay road. This very desirable property is severed, close to car line, and new High School, and is now offered at moderate prices and easy terms. Heisterman & Co. m31
 SOMENOS LAKE—90 acres with good frontage on Somenos Lake, 32 acres cultivated and pasture, other land improved; 7 room frame house, large barn, outbuildings, etc. J. H. Whitmore, Real Estate Agent, Duncan, V. I. a28

FOR SALE—HOTELS.

HOTELS FOR SALE—Call and see our list. B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street.
 FOR SALE—Business of a large, centrally located hotel, including furniture, etc., doing a good business. For particulars apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street.

FOR SALE—TIMBER LIMITS.

LARGE TRACTS OF TIMBER LAND, both crown grant and leased, cedar, spruce, fir and other woods. For particulars apply to B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government St.
FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.
 FOR SALE—Planola, slightly used, in perfect order, to be sold at a great reduction. Hicks & Lovick Piano Co., 58 Government street. 117
 MUST BE SOLD—A first class Kensington typewriter, No. 6. Price \$40 cash. 115
 FOR SALE OR TO RENT—An automatic shooting gallery, in the rear of 72 Fort street, cabin No. 4. 115
 FOR SALE—Sewing Machine, a 4 drawer, high armed Singer Machine, with all the latest attachments, \$25.00. Apply to J. H. Whitmore, S. B. Sutton, 72 Fort street, Victoria. 114

FOR SALE—RESIDENCES.

FOR SALE—Campers, cheapest place, and full assortment at Fred's Curiosity Stores 148 Yates street, Victoria, B. C. 10
 LATE CABBAGE PLANTS—25c, per 100; \$2.00 per 1,000. Mr. Tolmie Nursery, 1022
 LACE COLLARS and all kinds of dress trimmings, also orders filled cheaply and promptly. Mrs. W. H. Adams, 75 Douglas street. m10
FOR SALE—INDIAN CURIOS.
 FOR SALE, INDIAN CURIOS—Thousands of Indian Baskets and Curios cheap. Buy direct from the Indian Trader in his new store, between Broad and Government streets, H. Stadhagen, 70 Johnson street. One-half price less than you pay at other stores. m10
FOR SALE—RESIDENCES.
 TO LET OR FOR SALE—A beautifully situated 8-roomed cottage, with about 9 acres of land, including large orchard, together with all necessary stables, chicken and out buildings and splendid view. Apply to B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street. m31
 \$800—Corner lot and 5-roomed cottage in Spring Ridge; must be sold immediately. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street. m31
 FOR SALE—By the installment plan or to suit, two and a half roomed houses and one eight-roomed house, on Simcoe street. Modern conveniences. m3
 FOR SALE OR TO RENT—Lime kiln; 60 or 200 acres with lime kiln, ready for occupation, buildings, tools, etc. Liberal terms can be arranged. Convenient to railway. Apply to J. W. Wicksaworth, or to B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 10-ROOMED MODERN DWELLING, beautifully situated, with 15 acres of ground. One of the best locations in the city. \$6,000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street. 110
CENTRALLY LOCATED.
 \$1,900—7 roomed cottage with sewer connections, on car line, and close to centre of town. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government St.
 CORNER LOT, with 2 houses, must be sold by 25th June. Cheap at \$850. Rent at \$12 per month. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.
 \$5,000—Two story dwelling, one acre of ground, beautiful garden, one of the best locations in the city. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.
 \$900—Five-roomed cottage, and lot 40x150; must be sold at an early date. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street.
 \$800—Good two-story dwelling, very central and convenient. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street.
 \$2,000—Seven-room house, and lot 60x120, on main thoroughfare, close to car line, with front and back entrance. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street.
 \$2,200 will purchase three houses, centrally located (only 10 minutes from post office), always rented at a good price; cheap, in order to close an estate. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street.
 \$2,400—Seven-room two-story dwelling, lot 47x120; sewer connections, etc. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street.
 \$5,500—Handsome residence, modern, with an acre of ground, on Rockland Avenue; grand view of city. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street.
 \$300—Good lot on Johnson street, facing south. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street.
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\$4,700—Ten-roomed modern dwelling (very central); must be sold to close an estate. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$2,500—Full-sized lot, with two houses, in the heart of the city; a good speculation. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$3,800—Two full-sized lots, with good house; very central; a bargain. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$4,750—Beautifully situated seven-roomed house, with three full-sized lots, stable, etc.; front and back entrance; situated on Fort Street. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$800—Corner lot and two five-roomed cottages (\$800 each); will be sold on very easy terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$3,750—Handsome modern residence and large water lot, only ten minutes from post office; well located and in good order. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$1,600—Pretty cottage, corner lot, good garden and lot 53x120, in good condition. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$2,100—Modern cottage, six rooms, full-sized lot; good locality. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$2,100—Large corner lot with very nice cottage and gardens, cheap at this price, and on car line. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government St.
 \$1,800—Cottage of six rooms, one acre; all cleared and planted with small fruits; barn, chicken houses, etc.; terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$1,500—New six-room cottage, with four lots, out-buildings. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
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JAMES BAY.
 \$2,200—Good six-room cottage, near Dallas road; nice view of the Straits; must be sold to close an estate. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$1,400—Five-roomed cottage, bath, lot 35x 150, house is newly painted and papered throughout. A bargain. Very easy terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.
 \$2,500—7-roomed cottage and large lot on Dallas road. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.
 \$525—4-roomed cottage, well located. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.
 \$1,500—Six-room cottage, very central, with bath. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$1,000—Seven-room dwelling, with bath, etc.; good location; one minute's walk from tramcar and 12 minutes' from post office; a bargain. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$900—A choice of two cottages, almost new, five rooms; rented at \$9 each. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$1,200—Cottage, five rooms, bath, etc.; well located, close to car line. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
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 \$500—Four houses at this price; must be sold to close an estate. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$3,000—Modern eight-room dwelling, with two full-sized lots, tennis court, etc.; beautiful. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$2,800—Esquimalt Road—Seven-room modern cottage, electric light, one acre of ground, lawn and orchard. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$2,500—Water lot and dwelling on Belleville Street. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
WEST END.
 \$2,500 will purchase four cottages, five rooms each, all rented, with an acre of ground, on car line. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$2,000—Six-room cottage, well situated, on car line, with bath, etc.; a bargain. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 THE ARM—Seven-room modern dwelling, well situated, over two acres of land, large frontage on road and water, \$3,000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.
 \$1,500—Corner lot and good cottage, 6 rooms, bath, etc.; garden. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.
 HANDSOME RESIDENCE—In A1 locality, 13 rooms; modern in every respect; all most an acre of ground, good orchard, stables, etc., all in good condition. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
NORTH END.
 \$2,000—Large 2-story dwelling with 12 rooms, well located, and particularly cheap. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.
 \$2,500—Modern 2-story dwelling, 8 rooms, electric light and sewer connections, in first class order. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government Street.
 \$750—Cottage, three lots and barn, good garden. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
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 \$17,000—Over 500 acres, within six miles of Victoria; 100 acres under cultivation; many good buildings, orchard, streams, etc. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

OAK BAY—A few good water lots left. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$2,500—Half lot, very central and in good locality. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 FORT STREET—Part of the Heywood Estate, just above Cook street; fine building site; prices reasonable; easy terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$200 will purchase a nice lot in Victoria West, ready for building upon. Many lots at higher prices and in good localities. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
HEYWOOD ESTATE.—The prices of the lots running from Fort street to Belcher street have just been very materially reduced, and we are now prepared to offer lots 53x150 for \$500. This is one of the best residential localities in the city, and lots at this price are a bargain. We are also offering the property near the Fountain at greatly reduced prices. B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$4,800—Full-sized lot on Yates street, just above Douglas; A1 locality for doctor's office and residence. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$2,500—Almost an acre of cleared ground in the centre of the city (cheapest in the city). Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$500—Two lots in James Bay, 10 minutes from post office, \$500 each. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$700—Very nice full-sized lot on Humboldt street, near Park road, facing south. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
 \$500—Lot on Vancouver Street, near Richardson; must be sold to close an estate. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
FOR SALE—Beautiful building site, commanding fine view of the Straits (three lots), for \$1,200. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
ESQUIMALT ROAD.—Two acres of ground fronting on Esquimalt road, well located; must be sold to close an estate; only \$1,400. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.
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A choice Suburban Property in Saanich, consisting of 15 acres, with pretty 7-roomed Cottage, 1/2 mile from the Post Office and Saanich Station. A good young Orchard on the property. Price \$2,600.

PEMBERTON & SON, 45 Fort Street

Provincial Legislature

Fisheries Act Reported Complete From Committee of the Whole.

Third Reading of Coast-Kootenay Bill Delayed By Opposition.

Legislative Chamber, June 16, 1902.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 2:15 p.m.

The report on the bill to amend the Evidence Act was adopted.

The bill to amend the Companies Act was read a third time and passed.

On the report on the bill to amend certain railway acts of 1901, Mr. Helmcken moved an amendment bringing in a new bill.

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Also under instructions from executors of the late Peter Steele,

Standing

Crop of Hay,

Seven acres, more or less, off Craigflower road, in the city limits.

Handaker

AUCTIONEER

in committee of the whole, Mr. Hall in the chair.

After several clauses had been dealt with the committee rose and re-ordered progress.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock until 8:30 p.m.

NIGHT SITTING.

Before taking up the business of the House, Mr. Martin alluded in fitting terms to the death of Mr. James M. Martin, a former member of the Legislature, news of which had just been received.

Mr. Martin was an active and useful member of the House and was esteemed by all those who served with him as well as to all who knew him in politics and business. He felt sure that the House would be the better for the loss of its member.

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When Indian Meets Indian

How the Songhees Won From the Kuper Islands at the Ball Game.

They Rang in a Pitcher Who Worked Wonders For Local Indians.

There is a potlatch at Quamichan reservation, and while the village is the scene of ancient ceremonies and wild dances, there is a field on the flats a mile away, where the Indian forgets the ancient manners, and drops his primitive language. There he likes to play ball—and plays good ball. On Sunday morning the council in charge of the festivities agreed to put up \$50 for a ball game, \$35 of which were for the winners. The game was between the Kuper islanders—the champions of the coast villages, and the Songhees of Victoria. The fame of the Kuper islanders is in all the rancheries whither news travels, and the Victoria Indians had taken on a big contract—but they solved this, and surprised their opponents.

When the train arrived at Duncan on Sunday at noon, some ball players landed, and were driven hurriedly to the village. One was a pitcher, who is known as one of the best pitchers on the coast. His face is sunburned, but he is a very white Indian. The others called him A. Williams. After the game the Kuper islanders called him many things. When the game was called he was in the pitcher's box, and there was a large crowd of Indians outside the line, and about a dozen whites.

The Kuper islanders went to the lot. Three men went out without a score, but there were no fancy plays, and the pitcher of Williams was not out of the ordinary. The Songhees, who wore a khaki-colored uniform, were not out without a score, and then came the excitement. The pitcher was laughing—he always was—and he lobbed in an easy ball, which a lanky Indian put almost into the river and made a home run.

The crowd about the pitcher, "Look out for that curve," said the coaches, who were working over time. The pitcher was of the ordinary kind, and soon there were three men on bases, and everybody was shouting, coaches, players, and spectators—all were yelling.

Out in the field the Songhees captain shouted, "Play for the batter every time." "All look out, now!"—and in the box the pitcher was smiling knowingly, as again and again the umpire said, "Strike three, batter out." None of the three on bases got in—and there was not one out when the pitcher lobbed the customary single at that.

In the fourth the game became more exciting. Two men went round the bases, but the pitcher still grinned. It seemed too easy for an umpire. It was more exciting to have three men on bases when the three went out, and so it happened. One man hit a nice fly to centre field. He was out. Two others were out. But the Kuper islanders played good, for they had three men on bases and Victoria had none. It was time that Victoria scored, and they did. Three of the Indians were on bases when the white Indian, whom they called Williams, went to the bat. He hit a three-bagger and three men scored. In the fifth sixth and seventh, the excitement was keen, and the coaches became hoarse, but neither team scored.

It was not until the ninth that the scoring proper commenced, and then the performance of the fourth inning was repeated. There were three men on bases when Williams went to the bat. He hit a three-bagger, and three men scored. In the fifth sixth and seventh, the excitement was keen, and the coaches became hoarse, but neither team scored.

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